

LACE CURTAINS—STONE & THOMAS.

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Lace Curtains.

Over 5,000 pairs Elegant New Lace Curtains, bought direct from the makers, enables us to offer them at wonderfully low prices for good, serviceable qualities.

- 1,000 pairs Ecru Nottingham Lace Curtains. No use in buying Curtain Ends when you can buy a pair at this price to-day 49c
- 1,000 pairs Finer Grade Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, in Ecru and White, to-day per pair 79c
- Fine Ecru and White Nottingham; also Ruffled Mull Bed Room Curtains, in colors and plain white Ruffled Swiss Curtains to-day per pair 98c
- 1,500 pairs Fine Ecru and White Nottingham Curtains; also Ruffled Mull Curtains, in White or Colors, and Irish Point and Brussels Design Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, values worth up to \$2.25, to-day per pair \$1.45
- 1,000 pairs Elegant Renaissance, Flemish and Brussels Design Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, extra width, values worth up to \$3.00, to-day per pair \$1.98
- Finer grades Lace Curtains on up to \$37.50 per pair, all at proportionately low prices.

New Japanese Draperies.

For Cozy Corners, Dens, Cushions, Lounging Rooms, etc., in all the New Oriental Designs and Colorings, to-day at....
19c, 25c and 39c Yard.

Furniture Novelties.

New arrivals the past week in Furniture Novelties, embracing Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Hall Settees, Centre Tables, Rockers, Couches, etc., in Polished Antique Oak, Solid Mahogany, Forest Green, Vernis Martin, and Bird's Eye Maple, at prices that will pay you to investigate before purchasing.

SPECIALS.

- Polished Antique Oak Centre Tables, 24x24-inch Top. Furniture Store price \$1.75. Our price..... \$1.19
- Solid Mahogany Round Top Centre Tables, 28x28-inch Top, Highly Polished. Furniture Store price \$25.00. Our price..... \$14.85
- Solid Mahogany Dressing Tables, Highly Polished, with 22x27-inch French Plate Pattern Mirror, Latest Design. Furniture Store price \$45.00. Our price..... \$27.50

A Silk Opportunity.

In our South Aisle you will find a table full, about 75 pieces, elegant Taffeta Silks, in Large and Small Checks, Plaids, Stripes, etc., Beautiful Colors and Color Combinations, qualities regularly sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25, to-day per yard..... 85c

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SHIRT WAISTS—GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

Shirt Waists Again!

It seems but yesterday that we said Shirt Waists. Talked Shirt Waists then in no uncertain tones; thought then that we had reached the pinnacle of Shirt Waist excellence, but the new arrivals which have been rolling in all week inspire us to most emphatically say that no such stock of Shirt Waists has ever before graced any Wheeling store. Never before have we shown such quantities, such color and style ranges, or quoted such wonderfully small prices.

Talk is cheap, but see our line and you will realize that we have not said half enough.

The Greatest Variety Between 48c and \$1.98.

Have You Lagged

Behind in supplying yourself with a spring outfit? Come to Division A, Main street end of lower room. The south half of it teems with a fabric richness unknown to the callers of five years ago. Opportunities here which are not surpassed in cities much larger. True, stock may not be quite as large, but then it makes up in SELECTNESS.

Graduating, Confirmation, Street, Mourning, Party or Wedding Outfits Supplied to Your Entire Satisfaction.

New White Silk, Wool and Cotton Dress Materials.
New White Sashes. New White Fans.
New White Chiffon Plaitings. New White Laces.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

WALL PAPER—JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.

GREAT BARGAINS in Wall Paper.

We will put on sale, commencing Monday morning, a big lot of fine papers at

HALF PRICE.

Also full line of cheap paper at 2 1/2c on up.

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.,

1118 MAIN STREET.

SHOES—ALEXANDER.

"The Wheeling Shoe" \$3.50

For Gentlemen is the idea of a practical shoe retailer carried out by one of the best manufacturers in this country.

Eleven Styles

Not a back-number among them. Strictly up to the minute in styles and a dollar a pair better than most shoes offered at this price.

ALEXANDER,

SHOE SELLER. 1049 MAIN. Shined Free.

BICYCLES.

Bicycles.

BEAT OUR LINE IF YOU CAN.

- Cleveland.....\$50, \$65, \$75.
- Outings.....45, 50, 60.
- Stearns.....50, 75.
- Patee Crest.....35.
- Juveniles.....20, 25.

The Celebrated Union Whitehead Track and Road Racer, Jimmy Michael won \$40,000 in 1897 riding a Whitehead.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

SHOES—NAY BROTHERS.



Our Shoes

are highly esteemed by those who wear them. They are the fittest things for feet you ever saw. The foot is the standard of reckoning for shoes and distances, and when tried by this rule our shoes are away ahead. They combine the look and reality of value, and to these solid merits we add a pleasant shortness of price. Vestings \$1.00 up. Turns tie up. Our 50c all leather shoes are unequalled.

Nay Brothers,

Market St. Six Doors Above Opera House.

The Intelligencer

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.
Bicycles and Sundries—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.
Moth Killers—List's Durg Store.
The First—Albert Stolz & Co.
Notice to Knights Templars.
Wanted—Bookkeeper.
Wanted—Girl for General Housework.
For Sale—W. B. Simpson.
E. F. Worthen—Dentist.
Our Standard Coffee—H. F. Behrens Co.
Attention, Sir Knights.
Save Money—Nesbitt & Bro.
Save—Mutual Savings Bank.
Rambler—Jason C. Stamp.
Our Shoes—Nay Brothers—Eighth Page.
We've Cleared Our Decks—House & Hermann—Fifth Page.
\$2.00 Soft Hats for \$1.50—McFadden's—Second Page.

\$10

Will buy a perfect Talking Machine, and an instrument that will reproduce vocal and instrumental music records.
For sale by JABOB W. GIBB, Jeweler, 1306 Market St.

HALF HORN AND UNDERWEAR A SPECIALTY AT C. HESS & SONS.

Our Half Horns are known for excellence in quality and wear and are sold at the very low old prices of 15c, 2 for 25c, 25 and 50c.
Underwear in Balbriggan, Merino and Camels Hair, unsurpassed for quality and wear, at 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50, at C. HESS & SONS.
Fashionable Tailors and Furriers, 1322 and 1323 Market Street.

ALL Persons still owing Sheriff Taxes must pay or be returned and PUBLISHED as DELINQUENTS. Avoid trouble and expense by paying these taxes at once.
H. C. RICHARDS, Sheriff of Ohio County.

Mr. Bratton's Funeral.

The funeral of W. J. Bratton, of Bridgeport, yesterday afternoon was largely attended. The Bratton Post, G. A. R., turned out fifty strong to honor a respected comrade. The Rev. Dr. Dixon officiated as chaplain. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Burgett, McConaughy, George Giffen, Oliver Porter, A. A. Porter, Isaac Henry and John Koehnlein, comrades selected some time ago by the deceased. The interment was at Week's cemetery. The deceased was a highly respected man with no enemies. He was honored and loved by all who knew him for his many sterling qualities.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's office, the following transfers of real estate were recorded:

- Lizzie Abercrombie and husband to Louis Carl, a lot on the west side of Jacob street, south of Thirty-ninth; consideration, \$550.
- A. C. Fisher and wife to Johann Holz, a lot on Wetzel street, Eighth ward; consideration, \$250.
- William Schockey and wife to Henry Wiedebusch, a lot on Twenty-ninth street; consideration, \$583.
- A. G. Wincher qualified as administrator of the Charles Plehler estate; bond, \$1,000, George Wincher, surety.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire hereby to express our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation to the Undertakers' Association, the Ivey-men, the G. A. R. comrades and all others who so generously contributed to the last sad rites of a loving husband and a kind father.
MRS. W. J. BRATTON AND SONS.

SCRATCH, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles, horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miles' PAIN EXPELLER. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

TO BUY SUPPLIES

A Special Committee Delegated for this Purpose for

FIRE DEPARTMENT PURCHASES

CAPTAIN OTTO SUGGESTS THAT THE CITY CAN SAVE MONEY BY CONTRACTING FOR SUPPLIES THROUGH A COMMITTEE, BETTER THAN UNDER THE PRESENT SYSTEM—CHIEF KLEIVES RESPONDS—FIRE ESCAPES AND HOSE ALSO CONSIDERED.

The council committee on fire department last night decided to relieve the fire chief of the duties of purchasing supplies for the department, substituting therefor a sub-committee, which shall purchase all supplies, hoping by adopting this system to contract for larger amounts and save the city some money. Discussion on this question had a few animated features, Chief Kleives and Captain Otto figuring.

Chairman McLure presided, and the other members present were Messrs. Baird, Gartley, Nesbitt, Otto and Marschner. After bills amounting to \$241.61 were ordered paid, Captain Otto arose and stated that he had long been of the opinion that the city could pursue a more business-like policy if the purchasing power was taken from the chief and placed in the hands of a special purchasing committee, of which the city clerk should be a member. The captain intended no reflections on the chief, but it was a matter of economy and business policy. The city could better afford to buy in large quantities, horse feed for instance, than in buying "little dribs from day to day." Captain Otto conveyed his ideas in a motion asking council to draft an ordinance authorizing a purchasing committee.

Captain Otto's remarks brought Chief Kleives to his feet, and he spoke with some feeling. The chief said it would give him no offense if the committee deemed fit to relieve him of the task of running around the city for every little thing the department needed. He was satisfied to ask for it first, and would let the disabled apparatus await the pleasure of the committee's attention, after he had notified them. Chief Kleives concluded by saying he had been very conscientious in his purchases, and had the best interests of the department always in mind.

Captain Otto hastened to assure the chief that no reflection was even entertained. He wanted the chief to purchase all immediate necessities, the regular supplies to be contracted for by the committee. It was a suggestion made so as to get as much for the city's money as possible. The captain's motion was adopted by a vote of 3 to 2, but it was later discovered that the present ordinance covered the ground intended, and that there was no necessity of going to council. Action on the motion was rescinded, and Captain Otto's resolution asking that a sub-committee to purchase supplies be appointed, was adopted. The chair appointed Messrs. Otto, Baird and Nesbitt, who are to report at the next meeting.

The question of compelling owners of buildings and factories, over two stories high, to provide their buildings with fire escapes, was introduced by Mr. Baird. Chief Kleives stated that he had a list of the buildings, and he was instructed to furnish the list at the next meeting.

B. OF P. W. CONTRACTS

Awarded Last Night—C. D. Thompson Secures Paving Contract.

The board of public works held a meeting last night and awarded two contracts for city work. There were three bidders for each and bidding was close. C. D. Thompson got the general paving contract, and the masonry contract for the retaining wall on the south side of Twenty-ninth street, was awarded to Jacob Sweitzer. The successful bids were as follows:

C. D. Thompson, per cubic yards, excavation, twenty-four cents; gravel filling, sixty-seven cents; broken stone, two and one-half inches, \$1; four inches, \$1; filling joints with sand, two cents; laying brick, eleven cents.

Jacob Sweitzer, per cubic yards, masonry, \$227; excavation, twenty-two cents.

"HUMAN HEARTS."

A Splendid Production at the Grand Opera House Last Night.

"Human Hearts," Hal Reid's beautiful play of the Arkansas hills, was produced for the first time in this city, at the Grand Opera House, last night. To say that it pleased the audience, would be to give mild expression to the degree of pleasure which was manifested while following the principal characters through the fascinating story of the dramatist. It is a play of the same order as "Alabama," possessing even a greater amount of interest than that masterpiece. It is splendidly staged, and admirably cast. Miss Bidwell, in the role of the adventures, is a charming actress, while Mr. Lee made a very manly hero. The company received an enthusiastic curtain call, and the action of the play was punctuated with applause.

"Human Hearts" is really a dollar attraction, and has not been produced before at popular prices. It is the strongest production which has been on the boards at the Grand this season. The engagement includes performances to-night and to-morrow afternoon and night.

AFTER all the competition at the World's Fair, Cook's Imperial Champagne took the gold medal. It's extra dry.

WE WILL TELL YOU



If your headaches come from weak eyes; also if glasses will relieve them. Do you have headaches? Do your eyes water, smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading? Do things appear double or mixed up? Have a desire to rub the eyes? Twitching? For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We run a glass at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge and rely on our skill and not our patients' judgment or answers.

Consultation and examination free.

PROP. H. SHEFF.
THE EYE SPECIALIST,
Corner Main and Eleventh Streets.

THE HUB—CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS.

Things We Hear Every Day:

"I find no clothes anywhere that fit like yours." "I have looked Wheeling over and can see no such stylish suits outside of your store." "Yours are the best made suits I've had shown me, and I've been the rounds." "I don't see how you can sell them at the price you do," referring to our \$10 suits. There's no mystery about it, gentlemen. It's no surprise to us to hear you say these things about our clothing. The truth will out. Superiority will tell. Every suit in our stock is made for our trade by manufacturers of whom there are none better. We have been studying you and your likes for years. You get the benefit of the best taste—the best talent—the best materials in our suits. It isn't advertisement talk for us to claim the unobtainable. It isn't exaggeration for us to claim to sell the best cheaper than others. Our suits prove it—the unsolicited testimony of patrons proves it. \$15 is the others price for our \$12.50 suits; \$20 for our \$15 suits, even then its value—without the exclusive style—without the finish—without the effect—not one-quarter of our variety. Paint, brush and pallet won't make a painting—takes talent. INVESTIGATE TO-DAY.

LET US SHOW YOU OUR SUITS!
\$10.00
\$12.00
\$15.00

Don't make a mistake by buying your Boy's Confirmation Suit until you have first seen our line and learned our prices.

THE HUB, Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

LARGEST AND ONLY STRICTLY ONE PRICE HOUSE IN THE STATE.

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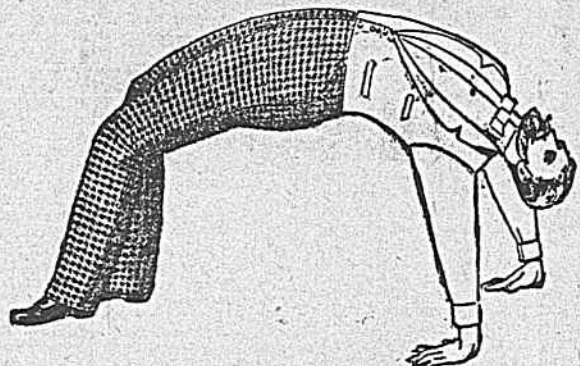
FROM THE SHEEP TO THE MAN.

Dutchess Trousers

Captured the Medals at World's Fair, 1893.



WHATEVER THE POSTURE, STYLE AND EASE REMAIN THE SAME.



ALWAYS IN SHAPE, AT WORK OR PLAY.

We Know What the Trade Demands and We Meet It.

The Manufacturers Authorize Us to Give With Every Pair Sold This Unheard-of

WARRANTY.

You may buy a pair of Dutchess Wool Trousers at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4

And wear them two months. For every SUSPENDER BUTTON that COMES OFF WE will PAY you TEN CENTS. If they RIP at the WAISTBAND WE will PAY you FIFTY CENTS. If they RIP in the SEAT or elsewhere, WE will PAY you ONE DOLLAR or GIVE YOU A NEW PAIR.

BEST IN THE WORLD. TRY A PAIR.

Lee Baer,

TWELFTH STREET'S CLOTHIER

Sole Agents Dutchess Trousers.

PEARL LAUNDRY—MENDEL BROS.

NO DOUBT ABOUT THIS EXPLOSION

being from the outside, when Uncle Sam throws his bomb of intervention, any more than there is of your linen being laundered in the most artistic manner when we put our exquisite handwork on it in a beautiful color and fine domestic finish.

Mendel Bros'. Pearl Laundry.

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Why Do You Want Trash?

You don't—it's the PRICE that tempts, and experience teaches it pays to pay a little more for A GOOD PAIR OF SHOES, that will give good wear, keep their shape, and be perfectly comfortable.

WE KEEP THIS KIND IN LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SHOES AT \$2.00.

You can pay more and get less value almost any place else.

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